

## SHELL EGGS: Weekly Shell Egg Inventory (Mon) Agricultural Marketing Service

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## Weekly Shell Egg Inventory:

Stocks on Hand Available for Marketing (30-dozen cases in thousands) <sup>/1</sup> (Includes Conventional and Specialty)

|                 |           | Northeast | Southeast | Midwest | South Central | Southwest | Northwest | 6-Area Total |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|---------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Jumbo           | This Week | 7.1       | 12.4      | 16.4    | 10.0          | 5.2       | 3.3       | 54.4         |
|                 | % Change  | -11.4%    | 81.0%     | 21.0%   | -12.2%        | -16.6%    | 42.3%     | 12.5%        |
| Extra Large     | This Week | 20.8      | 25.3      | 44.2    | 19.1          | 33.9      | 8.9       | 152.3        |
|                 | % Change  | 10.9%     | 18.7%     | -1.4%   | -15.3%        | -4.7%     | 18.1%     | 1.1%         |
| Large           | This Week | 77.6      | 132.0     | 119.7   | 116.9         | 88.0      | 56.6      | 590.7        |
|                 | % Change  | 14.8%     | 10.6%     | 3.9%    | -10.2%        | 19.5%     | 14.9%     | 6.4%         |
| Medium          | This Week | 15.2      | 24.5      | 40.8    | 19.9          | 24.7      | 9.8       | 134.8        |
|                 | % Change  | -19.9%    | -8.9%     | 27.4%   | -23.9%        | -3.1%     | -4.6%     | -3.5%        |
| Small           | This Week | 1.7       | 3.3       | 2.4     | 1.4           | 0.3       | 1.5       | 10.5         |
|                 | % Change  | 24.1%     | 24.6%     | -37.8%  | -62.4%        | 23.8%     | 28.0%     | -18.1%       |
| Miscellaneous   | This Week | 1.1       | 9.7       | 26.6    | 14.2          | 5.0       | 1.1       | 57.7         |
|                 | % Change  | -57.3%    | 4.8%      | 6.1%    | -0.1%         | 35.7%     | -25.7%    | 2.5%         |
| Ungraded        | This Week | 15.5      | 30.1      | 76.2    | 26.5          | 18.1      | 30.0      | 196.3        |
|                 | % Change  | 33.7%     | -2.7%     | -5.3%   | -11.5%        | 15.4%     | 28.7%     | 2.3%         |
| Total Shell Egg |           | 139.0     | 237.2     | 326.2   | 207.9         | 175.2     | 111.2     | 1,196.6      |
|                 | % Change  | 7.9%      | 9.2%      | 3.6%    | -12.6%        | 9.1%      | 16.6%     | 3.6%         |

| Totals          | Cases   | Percent Change |  |
|-----------------|---------|----------------|--|
| Shell Egg       | 1,196.6 | 3.6%           |  |
| Breaking Stock  | 261.5   | 7.5%           |  |
| Total Shell Egg | 1,458.1 | 4.3%           |  |

## Specialty Shell Egg Inventory 12

Stocks on Hand to be Marketed as Specialty (30-dozen cases in thousands)

|                 |           | Northeast | Southeast | Midwest | South Central | Southwest | Northwest | 6-Area Total |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|---------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Large           | This Week | 15.8      | 30.9      | 12.9    | 5.4           | 6.5       | 1.3       | 72.8         |
|                 | % Change  | 15.5%     | -2.2%     | 6.8%    | 13.6%         | 6.2%      | 6.7%      | 4.8%         |
| Ungraded        | This Week | 0.3       | 1.0       | 41.8    | 19.2          | 12.4      | 10.9      | 85.5         |
|                 | % Change  | 0.0%      | -55.7%    | 2.9%    | -4.9%         | 150.6%    | 28.8%     | 12.0%        |
| Total Specialty | This Week | 16.1      | 31.9      | 54.6    | 24.6          | 18.9      | 12.2      | 158.3        |
|                 | % Change  | 17.7%     | -5.7%     | 3.8%    | -1.4%         | 70.7%     | 26.0%     | 8.6%         |

Percentage of Specialty Shell Egg Inventory Comprised of USDA Certified Organic:

Large: 22.7% Ungraded: 68.5% Total: 47.5%

Regional Definitions: Northeast = CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and VT; Southeast = AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV;

Midwest = IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, and WI; South Central = AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX, and UT;

Southwest = CA and NV; Northwest = ID, MT, OR, WA, and WY.

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<sup>1/</sup> Cooperators normally have stocks on hand each Monday A.M. and must report in both the current and previous week. This is a representative sample of the U.S. inventory and includes eggs packed for export when in cooperator's coolers.

<sup>2/</sup> Specialty eggs include certified organic, nutritionally enhanced, cage-free, and vegetarian-fed types.